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## Councils Are To Sponsor Peanut Week STUDENTS OF QUEENS COLLEGE MAY DAY Whose Nut Are You—Who Is Your Shell LEAGUE TO SHOWS GRECIAN INFLU

Each Girl To Be Both Nut and Shell. Hints As To Identities Given Daily. Object To Promote Better Friendship Between Two Student Bodies.

"Nerts to you" will be quite a permissable phrase at Queens next week, for that will be PEANUT WEEK at the college. And for once every student will be a recognized nut-and like it-and every girl will possess a shell into which she can retire.

Because it is believed that all the students need to mingle more "just for fun," the Boarding and Day Student Councils have functioned as one governing board in planning this week. Those girls who know each other slightly, or not at all, have been paired as a "nut" and a "shell." And each student is in turn a "shell" of some "nut" and the "nut" of some "shell."

The "shells" on the Queens campus next week will, however, be more than protecting bodies. They will be entertaining and surprising. Each day every shell will send a note or a small nickle gift to her "nut," always being careful to keep her identity a secret from her "nut."

On Saturday evening, March 21, "nuts" and "shells" will get together at an informal hilarious party at the Gym, and for the first time in the week "nuts" and "shells" will meet as such and be recognized. The "shells" will be in control, however, for it shall be their responsibility to send to their respective "nerts" a note revealing the sign by which the "shell" will be known to the "nut" at the party.

That week of March 16 will be seven days of fun and surprises for the students at Queens. There are but a few rules which make the fun. Every "shell" must keep her identity a secret. No "shell" shall forget or neglect her "nut." Everyone is to enter into the spirit of the week, so no one will feel deserted. No "shell" may spend more than five cents a day on her "nut," and she need not spend that much, for a stamp, a postal card, or a chatty note will be a surprise. And surprises are the things that will make the fun at Queens next week.

#### DR. ELLWOOD TO DISCUSS REVOLUTION

On Friday evening, March 20th, Dr. Charles A. Ellwood of Duke University will speak in the Queens-Chicora College auditorium on the topic: Revolutions and How They May Be Avoided. This concludes a series of four lectures by Dr. Ellwood in the field of sociology, sponsored by the American Association of University Women. All these lectures have been delivered in the college auditorium and have been attended in large numbers by students of the college. In speaking of this coming lecture on revolution Dr. Ellwood stated that, if he might be permitted to use the modern term, it is to be "a hot one." Dr. Ellwood is head of the department of sociology at Duke University, is author of a number of books in his field and is a noted lecturer. Queens students have been afforded an unusual opportunity in hearing this distinguished scholar.

John and Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., sons of the President and Harvard students, have taken a pledge for safe driving. Both have been involved in numerous accidents.

#### **Annual Conference** Meets At Duke

June 8th To 19th. Topics of Wide Interest.

The fourth annual Duke Institute of International Relations will be held at Duke University, Durham, North Carolina, from June 8th to 19th, 1936, under the joint auspices of the American Friends Service Committee and Duke University. This conference is held for those who are interested in promoting world peace, consisting of a twelve-day public and private school teachers, ministers, Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. secretaries, leaders of boys' and girls' clubs, chairman and members of the International Relations Committees, Classes will be held in the morning, recreation will be provided in the afternoon, and lectures will be given in the evening.

Problems of International Relations from special angles of Education, Economics, History, Sociology and Religion will be presented by experts in the fields. The faculty and lectures will include Frederick W. Norwood, Minister of City Temple, London, England; Roswell P. Barnes, Julien Bryan, J. Fred Rippy, Calvin B. Hoover, Elbert Russell, and Mary Goodhue Cary.

Queens is usually well represented at this conference by the local I. R. C. organization and also by members of the Faculty.

#### **Convention To Be Held At Decatur**

In And Out-Going Presidents To Represent Queens At Student Convention

Queens-Chicora college will be represented by two girls at the convention of the Southern Inter-Collegiate Association of Student Government. They are the out-going president of the student body, Margaret Trobaugh, and the in-coming president who has not yet been elected.

The convention which will be held from the twenty-sixth to the twentyninth of March, will take place in Decatur, Georgia, with headquarters at Agnes Scott college. It enables the representatives from the various colleges of the association to meet, discuss and solve problems incident to institutions of their calibre.

Membership of the Southern Inter-Collegiate Association of Student Government is confined to the student government organization of women's colleges in the south, each college of which must have a minimum of two hundred students. Dr. Frazer has been recently elected president of the Southern Association of Women's Colleges and Secondary Schools.

This will be the 21st Annual Convention held by this association. The last convention was held at Florida State College for Women, Tallahassee, Fla., and was attended by two delegates from Queens.

To win a \$3.00 bet, a former Unicaptain swam 225 feet under water.

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Prominent Church Leaders Featured As Speakers

The League of Evangelical Students will hold a regional conference at Queens-Chicora on April 17th and 19th. This is the first conference of Institute of International its kind to be held in this part of Relations Meet In Durham the south. Delegates will be invited to it from all colleges in Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia.

The conference will open Friday afternoon, April 17th, with registration at 4:00. After dinner Friday evening there will be a vesper hour out on the campus, followed by an address at 8:00 in the auditorium. Dr. William Childs Robinson, professor of church history at Columbia Seminary in Decatur, Georgia, is the speaker selected to deliver this adcourse on International Relations for dress. After the close of Dr. Robinson's message, there will be a social hour for all delegates to the con-

At the chapel hour Saturday morn-Westminister Seminary, Philadelphia, will address the college student body and the conference delegates in the auditorium. Open forum will be conducted through Saturday afternoon. The conference will close with a banquet meeting Saturday night. The last feature of the conference is an inspirational address at the close of the banquet meeting.

There will be special music throughout the conference, to be furnished by conference delegates. The pianist is Virginia Dobson of Converse College and the song leader is Rev. E. A. Dillard of Tenth Avenue Presbyterian Church, Charlotte.

Perhaps the most promising feature of the conference is the opportunity in store of hearing the speakers being brought to it. Many prominent church leaders have consented to come and take part in the meetings and it is indeed a rare privilege to have them as guests. Among these have already been mentioned the distinguished Dr. William Childs Robinson and Dr. R. B. Kuiper. Others to be here are Dr. W. H. Wrighton, pro-

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#### Q. - C. COLLEGE IS FEATURED ON THE AIR

Faculty and Choral Club On Wednesday Program

Beginning March 18th Queens-Chicora College will be heard on the air every Wednesday night at 10:30 P. M. The weekly programs will be broadcast from WBT, Charlotte. The broadcast will continue once a week until the close of school the last of May.

Each Wednesday night there will be music furnished by the students of the Music Department of Queens-Chicora under the supervision of Miss Grace Robinson. On the program with the music there will be a short talk on subjects related to Queens-Chicora. These talks will be made by members of the College Faculty.

On the first program, next Wednesday night, Dr. Althea H. Kratz, dean of Education, will be the speaker. The College Trio will sing. Dr. W. H. Frazer will speak the following week on a popular subject. "Humor in the South." Plans for versity of Minnesota swimming team other broadcasts are underway and will be announced later.

### SHOWS GRECIAN INFLUENCE

Queen Chooses Maid of Honor and May Court Date of May Day Not Yet Announced Choral Club Will Participate

#### **Election of Student** Officers Soon

Nominations Begin March 17. Others Take Place The 19th. Formal Elections March 20. Speeches Wednesday.

Quite a bit of interest is being manifested in the elections for the coming year. The nominations will begin Tuesday, March 17th. The first candidate to be nominated will be the president of the student body. Election schedule will be as follows: Nomination for president of the student body March 17th. As is customary, the student body will nominate as many candidates as it desires, the two highest nominations will be eligible for president. On Wednesday morning at the student chapel hour campaign speeches will ing, April 18th, Dr. R. B. Kuiper, be given by the managers and platforms will be presented by the candidates. The remainder of the day will be for the purpose of casting the final ballots for the president of the student body.

On Thursday, March 19th, nominations will be in order for President of Day Students, President of Boarders, President of Athletic Council and President of Student Christian Association. Each group will nominate its president and both will nominate the Presidents of Athletic and Student Christian Association. The formal elections will be held on March 20th.

These officers will not go into office immediately. They will be formally installed by Dr. W. H. Frazer at the chapel hour, two weeks after elections take place.

#### **Seniors Are Now Practice Teaching**

Approximately Thirty Girls To Observe and Teach In City Schools

Approximately thirty seniors have begun their tenure of practice teaching in Charlotte City Schools with a teachers' certificate as their objective. Applicants are required to spend twenty hours observing and thirty hours actually teaching in order to receive a North Carolina certificate. Faculty heads of the various departments are supervising the girls of their departments. Dr. Althea H. Kratz, Dean of Instruction, is in charge of all practice teachers.

Seniors doing work at Central High School are: Catherine Anderson, Anne Batten, Roberta Kilgore, Frances Query, Helen Thompson, Bettie Wicker, Jean Stough, Rose Ellen White, Elizabeth Sullivan, Ida Virginia Miller, Louise Holland, and Louise Orr.

At Piedmont Junior High School the following girls are practicing: Dorothy Ehrhardt, Ione Smith, Virginia Hubbard, Eleanor Woodcock, and Sara Griffith.

Girls who will receive elementary school certificates, after completing the required work in the schools at which they are practicing are: Bethune; Merle Byrum, Sarah Caldwell, Mary Kale, Kathryn Lowrance; Dilworth, Edith Thompson; Myers Park, Edith Stallings, Sudie Lowder; Wilmore, Iris Harmon, Ruth Hunt, Margaret Neele, Grace Robinson, and Marion Price.

May Day festivities will be carried out in quite a novel motif this year. A Grecian scheme is being planned and the court promises to be a lovely one. The scene will be centered around the story of Iphegenia, daughter of Agememnon. The myth will be supported by Grecian dances, the scarf and balloon dances. The most unusual part of the festivities is the fact that the maids of the court will be gowned in Grecian costumes.

The court is not yet complete but the following girls have been selected as attendants: Margaret Calder, maid-of-honor, Charlotte; Nancy Philips, Charlotte; Marjorie Timms, Winnsboro, S. C.; Marion Price, Charlotte; Josephine Long, Catawba; Lib Martin, Charlotte; Mary Frances Ehrlich, Chester, S. C.; Bertha Burch, Charlotte; Jean Stough, Cornelius; Jean Orr, Charlotte; Martha Petteway, Charlotte; Martha Elizabeth Alexander, Charlotte; Martha Ward, Bainbridge, Ga.; Jane Wiley, Charlotte; Margaret Land, Chester, S. C.; Elizabeth Gammon, Charlotte; Betty Manning, Charleston, S. C.; Catherine Mears, McBee, S. C.; Thorburn Lillard, Elkin, N. C.; Janet Hilton, Rock Hill, S. C.; Virginia Cagle, Popularville, Miss.; Doris Gambrell, Charlotte, and Louise Phillips, Elkin.

#### VOCATIONAL PROGRAM FOR **SOPHOMORES**

Here at Queens-Chicora there is a very important work going on. This work is the enlarging of the educational and vocational guidance program for the students under the supervision of the department of psychology. There is a committee composed of faculty members who are working to carry out the best possible program. Dr. Ethel Abernethy is chairman of the committee; other members of the committee are Dean Kratz, Dean Edwards, Dr. Delano, Dr. Howe, Miss Jones, Mrs. McEwen, Miss Nooe, and Miss Turnipseed.

One new phase of this guidance program is the testing. The testing consists of an inventory of study habits, tests of general aptitude (socalled "intelligence tests"), and measures of special aptitudes and abilities for the fields of teaching, medicine, music, and such like. Inventories of personality traits are being made also. These include introversion-extroversion, and dominancesubmission. One of the most important of these five groups of tests is the inventory of vocational interests.

These tests and inventories are being correlated with the mental hygiene course. The seventy-eight members of the mental hygiene class are serving as subjects.

The committee is working in an attempt to score and interpret test results by the middle of March. Then five weeks will be devoted to personal interviews with each student tested. The interviews will be concluded shortly before classification begins in the spring.

The typical Harvard man is "an indifferent old maggot with a funny accent," says the university's alumni bulletin.